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ORR Diary, 16 July 1951 (AD/RR information unless otherwise stated)

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[redacted] met with the BOARD OF NATIONAL ESTIMATES to discuss their memorandum for the DCI on the CONSEQUENCES FOR IRAN OF A BRITISH EVACUATION OF THAT COUNTRY. (1-1/2 hrs) (13 July)

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[redacted] attended meeting of R PROCEDURE SUBCOMMITTEE at the Department of Commerce and PRESENTED for consideration INTELLIGENCE prepared by [redacted] I/EE CONCERNING

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[redacted] According to reports of USFA, certain departments of this technical school have been infiltrated by Communists who have exploited research facilities for the benefit of the Soviet Union. SEVEN LICENSE APPLICATIONS INVOLVING THE EXPORT OF STRATEGIC EQUIPMENT TO THIS CONSIGNEE WERE DENIED BY THE SUBCOMMITTEE ON THE BASIS OF CIA INFORMATION. Mr. Aaron Tollin, Chairman of the Subcommittee, REQUESTED A STATEMENT BY CIA AS TO THE REPUTABILITY OF ALL AUSTRIAN TECHNICAL SCHOOLS APPEARING AS CONSIGNERS ON LICENSE APPLICATIONS considered by the Subcommittee at this meeting. (3 hrs) (13 July)

[redacted] visited Mr. James Lewis, Intelligence and Security Branch, Investigation Staff, Department of COMMERCE to obtain INFORMATION AS TO CLANDESTINE MOVEMENTS OF CHILEAN COPPER TO THE SOVIET BLOC. Mr. Lewis cooperated fully and [redacted]

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[redacted] which INDICATES TECHNIQUES AND CHANNELS EMPLOYED BY THE SOVIETS TO PROCURE CHILEAN COPPER. (3/4 hr) (13 July)

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[redacted] concerning: (1) FACILITIES OF VALUE TO ORR, and (2) CANDIDATES FOR D/I. Important leads were secured on both items. (1 hr) (13 July)

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D/I (Continued)

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[] attended CONFERENCE at which Mr. Thomas Bowie, SECOND SECRETARY AND US CONSUL IN WARSAW reported on PRESENT CONDITIONS IN POLAND. The ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENTS IN THAT SATELLITE COUNTRY, ITS STANDARD OF LIVING, THE PROSPECTS OF ITS SIX-YEAR PLAN, and the EFFECTS OF SOVIETIZATION were outlined. (1-1/4 hrs) (13 July)

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[] Chiefs USSR and EE Branches, FDD, respectively, to discuss RESEARCH REQUIREMENTS FOR CURRENT BASIC RESEARCH PROJECTS. Apparently FDD will be able to make an appreciable contribution. (2 hrs) (13 July)

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[] of OSO contacted [] (S/TR) to discuss OSO REQUIREMENTS FOR SOVIET RAILROADS. (1/2 hr) (13 July)

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[] (S/TR) contacted Mr. Jerry Choen, OIR, STATE to COORDINATE INFORMATION ON TRANSLOADING FACILITIES IN INDIA. (20 mins) (13 July)

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[] (S/TR) contacted Mr. Fridinger, US MARITIME ADMINISTRATION to discuss the FEASIBILITY OF SEGREGATING USMA MERCHANT FLEET DATA, the best unclassified source in Washington, INTO CHINESE COMMUNIST AND NATIONALIST TONNAGE. Such segregation would be a very useful check against ONI data. (1/4 hr) (13 July)

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[] (S/TR) contacted [], to call to [] attention SEVERAL RECENT ARTICLES IN SOVIET PERIODICALS, the exploitation of which might prove of value to S/TR. [] agreed to determine whether or not the articles have already been exploited and, if not, to either abstract or translate them in full. (5 mins) (11 July)

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[] of FDD contacted [] (S/TR) to discuss S/TR requirements for supporting material to be prepared by FDD in connection with a SATELLITE RAIL TRANSPORT STUDY. (2 hrs) (13 July)

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Mr. Patton, USAF Operations Intelligence, contacted [] (S/TR) to discuss with [] the AVAILABILITY OF CHINESE INLAND WATER TRAFFIC DATA. Mr. Patton was permitted to examine S/TR files and take notes. (2-1/4 hrs) (13 July)

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Mr. Marques, Air Estimates Branch, Air Intelligence, USAF, contacted [] (S/TR) to inquire about securing a MAP FOR PRESENTATION PURPOSES TO SHOW WORLD AIR ROUTES. (10 mins) (13 July)

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[] (S/TR) contacted [] to discuss PROCUREMENT OF [] (10 mins) (12 July)

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[] (S/O) conferred with Captain Gary Thompson, AIR FORCE DIRECTORATE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT concerning the HUMAN RESOURCES RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF THE AIR UNIVERSITY and possible usefulness of its work to the Organizations Branch. (1 hr) (13 July)

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D/B:

[] DISCUSSED with AD/IC and AD/CD the QUESTION OF RELEASING US INFORMATION on "hot" areas TO the []
[] The question will be raised by AD/CD at the DCI's staff meeting on Monday. (1/2 hr) (14 July)

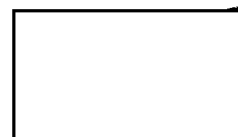
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D/C:

[] attended meeting called by AD/IC with representatives from OCD, OSI, OGI, OSO, OPC, AND OO to REVIEW AND DISCUSS DEVELOPMENTS IN THE DECENTRALIZATION OF OPERATIONAL LIAISON. The AD/IC was interested in measures taken to control, security-wise and duplication-wise, contacts, and to ascertain whether he could be of any service in facilitating contacts with other agencies. After general discussion, it was agreed that a similar meeting should be held in approximately 60 days for discussion purposes. (1-1/2 hrs) (13 July)

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